FENDALTON.—Frederick Harry Paintin, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Christ-church police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 133.)

CHRISTCHURCH.— William Falconer, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Mount Cook police. (See Police Gazette, 1918, page 90.)

-Christohurch.—William George Price, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Christohurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 208.)

LYTTELTON.—Hector Campbell, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Lyttelton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 46.)

Lincoln.—Denis Richard Dane, absconding from an industrial school, has been arrested by the Mount Cook police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 322.)

METHVEN. — William Joseph Fraser, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Cheviot police. He had assumed the name Will Kirwan. (See Police Gazette, 1917, page 298.)

DUNEDIN.—Lawrence Stevens, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Lower Hutt police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 47.)

DUNEDIN.—John Alexander Robertson, false pretences, has been arrested by the Dunedin police. (See Police Gazette, 1918, page 234.)

Dunedin.—Harvey Vernon Shields, failing to parade for medical examination: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 237.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

Newton. - On or about the 6th instant, from a motorcar, the property of ERNEST PERKINS, 26 Williamson's Avenue, Grey Lynn, a four-cylinder 22 horse-power Metz motor-engine; value, £40. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—11th March last, from Wakefield Street, the property of MARK DRAKE, 6 O'Rorke Street, a gentlemen's black-painted free-wheel B.S.A. bicycle, leather grips, back-pedalling brakes, steel mud-guards (front one fastened with wire), right side pedal has been broken; value, £5. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—15th March last, from the City Council Markets, the property of ALFRED CALEY, 36 Mozley Avenue, Devonport, a gentlemen's Raleigh bicycle, No. 9945 painted on frame, wide down-turned handles, rubber pedals (tied with cord), spring on right side of saddle broken, carrier attached; value, £7. Identifiable.

ONEHUNGA.—18th ultimo, from Olsen's bioycle-stand at Mangere Bridge, the property of JAMES EVANS, tramconductor, a gentlemen's Excelsior bicycle, No. 53789, upturned handles (right grip broken), front-rim and backpedalling brakes, red glass let in back mud-guard; value, £7. Identifiable.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—19th ultimo, from the person of FRANK DEARING PELLING, farmer, Eketabuna, while in the Clarendon Hotel, Palmerston North, a gentlemen's gold English lever hunting-watch, No. 2/7959; value, £25.

Pongaroa.—On or about the 7th instant, from a horse on the roadside, the property of DENNIS BUCKLEY, Mangatiti, a new green-canvas horse-cover, with brown jute lining, strong straps, cross-strap at back passes through rings on leg-straps, "J. Boagey, saddler, Pahiatua," on side and "DB" on shoulder; value, £2 10s. Identifiable.

Wellington.—29th ultimo, from a coat-pocket in P. Hayman and Co.'s warehouse at 44 Victoria Street, the property of JACK KELLY, 429 Adelaide Road, a gentlemen's metal open-face keyless Swiss watch, "Esmina" on dial, with a metal single-link watch-chain attached; total value, 16s. Identifiable.

Wellington.—Between the 20th and 27th ultimo, fro a case while in transit between Auckland and Wellington, per s.s. "Mapourika," the property of ROSS AND GLENDINING, 25 Victoria Street, eleven and a half pairs of gentlemen's leather-lined low Derby shoes, various sizes, punching round collar, vamp, and toe-cap, "No. 769—D.G." on inside and "Defiance" on soles; and three pairs of similar shoes, with "No. 942—A.B." on inside and "Defiance" on soles: total value, £12 1s. 6d. Identifiable,

Wellington.—Between the 30th ultimo and 11th instant, while in transit per s.s. "Mapouriki," s.s. "Monowai," and s.s. "Putiki," between Auckland and Wellington and Wellington and Dunedin, the property of ROSS AND GLENDINING, 25 Victoria Street, two pairs of ladies' cloth-top boots, "No. S80 V.C." on lining and "Defiance" on soles; a pair of gentlemen's tan shoes, "No. 928 D.D." on lining and "Defance" on soles; four pairs of girls' glacé shoes, with patent-leather toe-caps, sizes 9 and 10, "No. 1069-668" on lining and "Guaranteed solid leather" on soles; three pairs of ladies' kid leg glacé golosh Balmoral boots, with patent-leather toe-caps, "No. 1841-8661" on lining and "Guaranteed solid leather" on soles; four pairs of ladies' glacé golosh open-front boots, with patent-leather toe-caps, "No. 1850-8002" on lining and "Guaranteed solid leather" on soles; total value, £12 15s. 5d. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH. — SYDNEY RONALD HOOD'S motorbicycle, &c., stolen: The side-chair has been found abandoned at Halswell. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 285.)

PORT CHALMERS.—26th February last, from a vest in EDWARD McKEWEN'S hotel in George Street, a gentlemen's rolled-gold keyless hunting lever watch and a gold curb double watch-chain (bar missing); total value, £8. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—26th ultimo, from an express, the property of LILY SUMMERFIELD, 1 Batbgate Road, a small yellow dress-basket, containing a gold brooch, set with pearls and turquoises (two turquoises missing); a gold gem ring, set with eleven brilliants and six rubies; a red cameo bangle, fastened with wire; an Empire fountain pen; a silk pink jersey coat; a white embroidered camisole; a navy-blue veil; two skeins of black-and-white wool; and three pairs of rubber heels; total value, £7 4s. 6d. Identifiable.

Dunedin.—3rd instant, from an express, the property of JOHN ROSS, Criterion Hotel, a suit-case (recovered), containing a ladies' gold wedding-ring; a ladies' gold weddingring, with "B.R." on it; a gold buckle ring; a gem ring, set with a diamond in centre and a ruby at each side; a ladies' gun-metal keyless wristlet watch, "Perfection" may be on dial; deeds of a house and sections at Burnside in favour of John Ross; and a Bank of New Zealand passbook, with "John Ross" on it: total value, about £5 16s. Identifiable. The suit-case was recovered in a reserve, where it had been cut open.

OAMARU.—4th February last, from a bedroom at Boyle's Hotel, Hakataramea, the property of CHARLES BURDETT, care of Cardnos's boardinghouse, Oamaru, a gentlemen's rolled-gold hunting Elgin watch, No. 16929237; value, £3 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Bert Saunderson**, height 6 ft., shearer, native of Australia, medium build, fresh complexion, black hair, cleanshaved; dressed in check trousers and black coat. He has been interviewed by the Ashburton police without result.

WINTON.—14th March last, from the person of **Patrick Devereaux**, Otautau, a gold looket (recovered), and a 15 ct. gold double watch-chain, one long link and three short links, with a fine gold wire entwining short links; value, £7. Identifiable.

MISSING.

AUCKLAND.—Since the 5th ultimo, Clara Moore, age forty-four, height about 5ft. 3 in., slight build, fresh complexion, dark hair; dressed in a dark Paisley voile dress and brown hat. She may have with her a brown-leather bag. Fears are entertained for her safety. Inquiry by her husband, William Moore, Wilson Street, Ellerslie.